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**UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Assistant Commissioner of Patents  
Box Patent Application  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Enclosed herewith for filing is the following  
utility patent application:

Attorney Docket No.: Verizon-7APP

Applicants: Craig L. REDING et al.

Title: METHODS AND APPARATUS FOR OBTAINING AND  
DISTRIBUTING VOICE MAIL INFORMATION

**PATENT APPLICATION FILING FEE CALCULATION**

	<u>No. Filed</u>	<u>Less</u>	<u>Rate/Claim</u>	<u>Fee</u>
Total				
Claims	<u>33</u>	-20	13 x \$18.00	\$ 234.00
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Claims	<u>5</u>	-3	2 x \$80.00	\$ 160.00
			Minimum Filing Fee	\$ 710.00
			Multiple Dependency Fee	
			(if applicable - \$270.00)	\$ 00.00
			50% Reduction for Small Entity	
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			Corporation, or Small Business	
			Concern)	\$- 00.00
			TOTAL FILING FEE	\$ 1,104.00
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- ☒ Specification: 34 Total Pages (including claims and abstract)
- ☒ Drawing(s): 8 Total Sheets (FIGs. 1-11)

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- ☒ Oath or Declaration:  
☒ Newly executed on March 21 and April 4, 2001;  
☐ Copy from a prior application (36 C.F.R. § 1.63(d);
- ☒ Assignment Papers to: Telesector Resources Group, Inc.;
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement, modified PTO-1449, and 29 cited reference(s) (AA.-BC.);
- ☐ Letter referencing previously filed disclosure document; number \_\_\_\_\_ filed \_\_\_\_\_;
- ☐ **Assertion of Small Entity Status** -  
Small Entity Status is hereby claimed;
- ☐ Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b);
- ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix);
- ☐ English translation document;
- ☐ Submission of Priority Document, a certified

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assigned serial no. \_\_\_\_\_, upon which a  
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☒ Other: Non-Publication Request

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